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MINERALS PROGRAM
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TO: Minerals File

FROM: D. Wayne Hedberg, Reclamation Hydrologist *DWH*

RE: Field Inspection, Barrett Mines, Incorporated, Barrett Mine Project,
S/053/010, Washington County, Utah

On September 12, 1989, Wayne Hedberg attempted to visit the location of this proposed small mining operation. The application is currently being processed by the Division and the Department of State Health. The project will involve a small gold placer mining operation to include a closed circuit cyanide leaching facility. The proposed area for the small mining operation is located adjacent to the East Fork Beaver Dam Wash on State leased land.

There were no roads that directly access the proposed mine site area. There was no visual evidence of any mining-related activity in the immediate area. Some mining equipment was observed just adjacent to the main BLM/county road, approximately 1/2 mile southwest of the proposed mine site area. A mobile trailer, a couple of trommels, a large Jib truck, and a series of supports and trusses for a conveyor belting system were stockpiled on a small disturbed area just adjacent to the road. It was not known whether this equipment is associated with the proposed Barrett Mining project. This laydown storage area is located approximately 1/2 mile northeast of the town of Motoqua, on the south side of the road.

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